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# **READERS NEEDED**

## **Charter School Start-Up Grants** (Planning and Implementation) **Charter School Dissemination Grants**

### **Scoring of Grant Applications** **August 17 & 18, 2000**

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The Charter Schools Unit in the California Department of Education (CDE) is seeking a diverse panel of readers to assist in the evaluation of the Charter Schools Start-Up (Planning and Implementation) and Dissemination Grant Applications. The scoring of applications will take place in Sacramento over two days, Thursday, August 17, 2000 and Friday, August 18, 2000 (readers must attend both days). Travel expenses for readers will be covered by the CDE.

Readers can be teachers, administrators, school board members, community members, members of the business community, and parents. The CDE is searching for readers who support the systemic reform of public education and the charter school concept, and who may be knowledgeable of educational and organizational concepts embodied in school reform.

The applications will be scored holistically from a scoring rubric. Readers will participate in a training process to score applications consistent with the scoring rubric. Readers can be associated with charter schools or developers that have submitted applications. Controls will be used to insure that readers do not have any conflicts of interest with the applications they read.

If you are interested in serving as a reader, please complete the application on the reverse side of this form and return it to the Charter Schools Unit. Please feel free to review the Request for Applications on the Internet at [www.cde.ca.gov/sfsdiv](http://www.cde.ca.gov/sfsdiv), or contact either Lori Williams at (916) 324-7139 ([llwilliam@cde.ca.gov](mailto:llwilliam@cde.ca.gov)) or Deborah Herrmann at (916) 445-1014 ([dherrman@cde.ca.gov](mailto:dherrman@cde.ca.gov)) with any questions.

**\*\*REGISTRATION FORM BELOW\*\***

**Due Date for Reader Application JUNE 30, 2000**

# APPLICATION TO BE A READER

## CHARTER SCHOOL START-UP GRANTS (PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION) CHARTER SCHOOL DISSEMINATION GRANTS AUGUST 17 & 18, 2000

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION: \_\_\_\_\_

ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be submitting a grant application for this process? If so, please indicate which type and whether it is for a school in Northern or Southern California: **(Please Check One Type of Grant ONLY)** (See enclosed map for location)

PLANNING                      NORTH ☐                      SOUTH ☐IMPLEMENTATION                      NORTH ☐                      SOUTH ☐DISSEMINATION                      NORTH ☐                      SOUTH ☐

Additional information for the State of California travel profile (so we can pay travel expenses):

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had previous experience in reading and scoring applications?    YES ☐    NO ☐

If "YES" please list your previous experience below or list on a separate page:

**Due Date for Reader Application JUNE 30, 2000**

Please mail or fax this application to:

California Department of Education  
School Fiscal Services Division  
Charter Schools Unit  
560 J Street, Suite 170  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
**FAX: (916) 322-1465**

